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Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board

Flood Assistance Program in the Town of Gimli

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MANITOBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE BOARD
FINAL REPORT ON
THE 1989 FLOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
IN THE TOWN OF GIMLI

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April 5, 1990

The Honourable Albert Driedger
Minister of Government Services
Room 203 Legislative Building
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3C 0V8

Dear Mr. Minister:

We wish to advise that the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board, established under Section 17(1) of the Emergency Measures Act, has completed the work assigned to it regarding the Flood Assistance Program for the Town of Gimli. We, therefore, now submit the final report of the Board's activities and findings under this program.

We are grateful for the privilege of being of service to the residents of Manitoba.

Yours truly,

Joseph Masi, Secretary

Sydney Reimer, Chairman

Lorne Boguski, Vice-Chairman

Lois Edie, Board Member

FORWARD

The heavy rain which struck the Town of Gimli on June 12, 1989 caused severe hardship to those Manitobans.

Efforts were made by many of the residents to clean the damages and also repair the affected homes.

The Manitoba Government announced the Flood Assistance Program to financially assist the individuals in the Town of Gimli that incurred damages to their homes.

In the pages that follow, the details of this program are outlined as well as the activities and findings of the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Board wishes to express its appreciation to the Government of Manitoba for providing financial assistance to resolve the problems which arose from the heavy rain in the Town of Gimli. Particular thanks should go to the Honourable Albert Driedger, Minister of Government Services, and his staff, all of whom provided the Board with the information and resources to ensure the program was a success.

The Board also thanks its staff for the diligent and conscientious manner in which the business of the Board was conducted.

The Board is also grateful to Doris Lloyd, Secretary-Treasurer, in the Town of Gimli for her excellent cooperation with the Board in providing the Board with the information on the damages in the town, distributing the application forms, and making the residents fully aware of the program.

Finally, the Board would like to thank the news media for their help in promoting the program, and the public whom we are privileged to serve.

SECTION 1

DAMAGES CAUSED BY THE JUNE 12, 1989 RAINS

The heavy rain that struck the Town of Gimli on June 12, 1989 caused severe damages to a number of homes and buildings.

Many of the basements in these towns had six to seven inches of sewage and water on the floor which caused the loss of and damage to carpets, furniture and appliances. In addition, there was a great deal of structural damage to the walls, panelling, and tiles of the homes. With respect to the Town of Gimli's public sector costs, most of these costs were for equipment used in pumping water out of the Town's sewer system.

The severe storm dumped 133 millimetres of rain in the Town of Gimli in a 32 hour period. It was probably one of the worst storms to this community in many years.

SECTION 2

ORDERS-IN-COUNCIL

A. ESTABLISHMENT OF THE MANITOBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE BOARD (APPENDIX A)

The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board was established under Section 17(1) of the Emergency Measures Act. It is responsible for preparing and maintaining the Disaster Assistance Policy and Disaster Assistance Guidelines for emergency and disaster for Manitoba, developing and maintaining procedures for the submission and processing of claims for disaster assistance, consulting with various government departments and private institutions in order to prepare specific proposals for the establishment and implementation of disaster assistance programs, and performing such other duties as are vested in it by the Act and the Regulations as may be assigned to it by the Minister of Government Services.

The Board may provide disaster assistance to persons who suffer loss resulting from a disaster in accordance with the policy and guidelines for assistance approved by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and any assistance granted to a person is classified and ex-gratia.

B. APPOINTMENT OF THE BOARD MEMBERS (APPENDIX B).

Order-in-Council 893/88 appointed Mr. Sydney Reimer as a member and Chairman, Mr. Lorne Boguski as a member and Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. Lois Edie as a member of the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board. This Order-in-Council outlined the powers and remuneration of the members of the Board.

C. THE FLOOD DAMAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Flood Damage Assistance Program to the residents in the Town of Gimli was in the form of an ex-gratia cash grant of up to $30,000.00, after a deductible amount of 20% of approved costs.

Financial assistance was provided to help defray the costs of damage to buildings, residential dwellings, business establishments, moveable and personal out-of-pocket expenses. This program was administered by the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board.

The Flood Damage Assistance rogram to the Town of Gimli for public sector damages was in the form of a cash grant to the Town of Gimli for costs incurred in pumping water out of the Town's sewer system. The assistance was based on the following cost sharing formula:

Municipal Per Capita Eligible Cost	Provincial Share	Municipal Share
$0.00 to $1.00	0%	100%
$1.01 to $3.00	50%	50%
$3.01 to $5.00	75%	25%
$5.01 plus	90%	10%

This program was also administered by the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board.

SECTION 3

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Shortly after the heavy rains struck the town, staff of the Board met with various municipal officials in the Town of Gimli.

The purpose of this meeting was to acquaint themselves with the magnitude of the sewer back-up in the town, and secondly to explain fully the procedures to be followed when applying for assistance. The staff also had the opportunity to answer questions from the officials related to what qualifies for compensation and the basis for such compensation.

At the conclusion of the meeting, it was decided the Town of Gimli would submit a resolution to the Board requesting assistance and that this resolution would be presented to the Board for consideration.

On June 29, 1990, the Board passed a motion recommending to the Minister of Government Services that assistance be offered to the residents of the Town of Gimli for basement flooding damages incurred as a result of the heavy rains on June 12, 1989 and also that the Town of Gimli receive assistance for public sector costs. In addition, the Board recommended that the inspection commence as soon as possible.

On July 6, 1989, a letter from the Chairman of the Board, Sydney Reimer, was sent to the Town of Gimli, along with applications for assistance forms. A copy of the letter is enclosed under Appendix C.

After application forms began arriving in the Board's office, they were segregated into difference streets of the town, coded, stamped numerically and recorded on index cards arranged alphabetically. File folders were then prepared for each applicant. Registered ownership was checked and photocopies made of each application. These photocopies were given to the Chief Inspector who delegated them to various inspectors. These inspectors were hired to inspect the damages of those individuals and businesses that had submitted an application form.

On August 2, 1989, Cabinet approved the basement flooding assistance program for the Town of Gimli. A news release is enclosed under Appendix D, which was issued by the Minister of Government Services.

After receiving Cabinet approval for compensation, the files were ready for evaluation. Assessment of damages and losses were calculated based on the Board's compensation guidelines, totalled and passed to the Secretary and a Board member for their approval.

Following this approval, award letters were prepared and signed by a Board member along with the Secretary. The award letters were then mailed to the applicants along with the financial assistance agreement form. The purpose of the form was to ensure that the claimant did not receive any other compensation from any other sources for his losses, and secondly, that the claimant was satisfied with the amount of compensation. In situations where the assessment of structural damages amounted to less that $2,000.00, a cheque voucher was prepared and sent to the Department of Finance along with the award letter and the financial assistance agreement. This procedure also applied to awards for moveable objects, personal effects, etc. except that no limitation was placed on the amount of the award letter or voucher, provided the amount was within the limits approved by the program. In this case, a cheque requisition and the financial assistance agreement were required to be signed by the claimant.

Each award letter had a number and these numbers were listed on the index cards in the appropriate space. The files were then placed in completed file drawers in numeric order for future references.

In a few of the situations, appeals were made by the applicants or evidence of additional costs were received. These were reviewed carefully by the Board, and if justified, supplements were awarded. A list of all forms used to administer this program is enclosed in this report under Appendix E.

The final item that the Board had to establish was the deadline for completing repairs to the homes. After consideration by the Board, a deadline of December 31, 1989 was established as the deadline for completing repairs to the homes. In a few cases, extensions were granted by the Board.

The public sector costs in the Town of Gimli were handled in the usual manner. An inspection and evaluation of the claim was done by the Board.

Subsequent to this, the Town of Gimli was authorized to send in their bills and invoices to the Board for compensation.

The Board reviewed the bills to ensure they were within the limits of compensation of the program. The claim was approved and sent to the Department of Finance for payment.

A copy of all the newspaper articles written about the program is enclosed under Appendix F.

SECTION 4

A. SUMMARY OF INDIVIDUALS WHO RECEIVED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PRIVATE SECTOR DAMAGES

Town of Gimli

Total claims received by the Board	57
Completed claims-	57
-Progress payments- 8	
-Appeal cases - 0	
No claim	0

Compensation Costs

	Number of Claims	Amount of Compensation
Award TOG - under $2,000.00	40	$41,000.65
Award TOG2- over $2,000.00	17	52,108.63
TOTAL	57	93,109.28

TOTAL AMOUNT PAID FOR STRUCTURAL DAMAGES	63,597.40
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID FOR MOVEABLE OBJECTS & PERSONAL EFFECTS.	29,511.88
TOTAL	93,109.28

Average amount of compensation per claim. $1,633.50

B. SUMMARY OF MUNICIPALITIES WHICH RECEIVED FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PUBLIC SECTOR DAMAGES

TOWN	POPULATION	APPROVED PAYMENT
Gimli	1618	$6,559.46

TOTAL COMPENSATION PAID TO INDIVIDUALS (A)-	93,109.28
TOTAL COMPENSATION PAID TO TOWN OF GIMLI (B)-	6,559.46
GRAND TOTAL PAID FOR WHOLE PROGRAM (A + B)-	99,668.74

SECTION 5

CONCLUSION

The Board is satisfied that the Flood Damage Assistance Program was administered according to the Terms of Reference and Limits of Compensation referred to the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

A number of claimants expressed their appreciation for the help they received. In addition, the Town of Gimli indicated to the Board that they were very satisfied with the way the Board handled the situation in the town with respect to the heavy rains.

Every effort was made to be fair to the claimants without abusing the trust invested in us by the Government of Manitoba.

The Board wishes to express its commitment to continue to serve the Government of Manitoba whenever disaster assistance programs are referred to the Board for administration and implementation. It is only with the full cooperation of all people involved that the residents of Manitoba can continue to receive assistance in times of disaster. The Board pledges itself to this cooperation.

APPENDIX "A"

SECTION 17(1) OF THE EMERGENCY MEASURES ACT

Establishment of Disaster Assistance Board.
17(1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall appoint a board to be known as the Disaster Assistance Board consisting of not less than three or more than five persons.

Chairperson and vice-chairperson.
17(2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall appoint one of the persons appointed under subsection (1) as the chairperson of the board and another as vice-chairperson.

Term of office.
17(3) The members of the board shall hold office for such term as may be fixed in the order appointing them and thereafter until their successors are appointed.

Remuneration.
17(4) The members of the board who are not civil servants may be paid such remuneration and out-of-pocket expenses as may be authorized by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

Rules of procedure.
17(5) The board may make rules governing its procedure and is responsible to the minister for the performance of its duties.

Duties of board.
17(6) The board shall
(a) subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, prepare and maintain disaster assistance policy and disaster assistance guidelines for emergencies and disasters for Manitoba;
(b) develop and maintain procedures for the submission and processing of claims for disaster assistance;
(c) consult with government departments and private institutions in order to prepare specific proposals for the establishment and implementation of disaster assistance programs; and
(d) perform such other duties as are vested in it by this Act and the regulations and as may be assigned to it by the minister.

Constitution du Conseil de secours aux personnes sinistrées
17(1) Le lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil constitue le Conseil de secours aux personnes sinistrées, composé d'au moins trois et d'au plus cinq personnes.

Nomination d'un président
17(2) Le lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil désigne parmi les personnes nommées en application du paragraphe (1) un président et un vice-président du Conseil.

Mandat
17(3) La durée du mandat des membres du Conseil est déterminée par décret du lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil. À l'expiration de leur mandat, les membres restent en fonction jusqu'à la nomination de leurs successeurs.

Rémunération
17(4) Les membres du Conseil qui ne sont pas des fonctionnaires ont droit à la rémunération et aux débours que peut autoriser le lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil.

Règles de procédure
17(5) Le Conseil peut établir des règles régissant sa procédure et rend compte au ministre de l'accomplissement de ses fonctions.

Fonctions du Conseil
17(6) Le Conseil doit :
a) sous réserve de l'approbation du lieutenant-gouverneur en conseil, élaborer et avoir des politiques et des directives s'appliquant au Manitoba en matière de secours aux personnes sinistrées en cas de situation d'urgence ou de sinistre;
b) élaborer et avoir une procédure relativement aux demandes de secours et au traitement de celles-ci;
c) consulter les ministères du gouvernement et les institutions privées en vue d'élaborer des propositions précises quant à l'établissement et à l'application de programmes de secours aux personnes sinistrées;
d) accomplir les fonctions que la présente loi ou les règlements lui confèrent et que le ministre peut lui attribuer.

APPENDIX "B"

ORDER-IN-COUNCIL 893/88

AUG 9 1988

August 8, 1988: Copied to Administration/M.D.M.B. (M.G.S. 127/88)

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Order in Council

DEPUTY MINISTER AUG 8 1988 OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

No. 893

ON MATTERS OF STATE

To The Honourable the ~~Lieutenant Governor~~ ADMINISTRATOR in Council

The undersigned, the Minister of ...Government..Services..... submits for approval of Council a report setting forth that:

WHEREAS it was deemed expedient and in the public interest to establish "The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board" to administer programs of assistance to victims of designated disasters referred to it by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council;

AND WHEREAS by Order-in-Council 686/83, Albert St. Hilaire was appointed as Member and Chairman; Willis Ayers was appointed as Member and Vice-Chairman; and Larry Kehler was appointed as Member of The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board, to serve at the pleasure of the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council;

AND WHEREAS by Order-in-Council 428/84, Order-in-Council 686/83 was amended to replace Larry Kehler with Rudy Regehr as a member of the Disaster Assistance Board.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to revoke the appointments to the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board of Albert St. Hilaire, Willis Ayers and Rudy Regehr, effective July 27, 1988.

AND WHEREAS it is deemed advisable to appoint Sydney Reimer, Member and Chairman; Lorne Boguski, Member and Vice-Chairman, and Lois Edie, Member of The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board, effective July 28, 1988 to serve for a one year term to July 27, 1989 inclusive.

THEREFORE he, the Minister, recommends:

THAT the appointments of Albert St. Hilaire, Willis Ayers and Rudy Regehr to the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board be revoked effective July 27, 1988.

THAT the appointments of Sydney Reimer, Member and Chairman; Lorne Boguski, Member and Vice-Chairman; and Lois Edie, Member of The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board be made effective July 28, 1988 to serve for a one year term to July 27, 1989 inclusive.

THAT the Chairman and Members be paid the salaries, expenses and expenditures and undertakings of said Board from out of the Consolidated Fund with monies authorized under an Act of the Legislature to be so paid and applied, the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) per hour for each hour spent on the business of the Board, together with such actual expenses as they incur in the performance of their duties.

Initiating Department/Agency

Department/Agency Authorized Officer

Approved By C.S.C. Finance

Approved as to form by: Legislative Counsel

Initials

Signature .....

IN THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL CHAMBER, WINNIPEG

Upon consideration of the foregoing report and recommendation Council advises that it be done as recommended.

28 July 1988
Date

President or Presiding Member

AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE IN THE CITY OF WINNIPEG

Approved and Ordered this 29th day of July A.D. 1988

Lieutenant Governor ADMINISTRATOR

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APPENDIX "C"

LETTER FROM SYDNEY REIMER TO THE TOWN OF GIMLI

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Manitoba Disaster
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(204) 945-3050

July 6, 1989

Mr. Ted Arnason
Mayor
Town of Gimli
Box 88
Gimli, Manitoba
ROC 1B0

Dear Mr. Arnason:

The Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board has approved the inspection of homes damaged as a result of the heavy rains on June 12, 1989 in the Town of Gimli.

Enclosed, please find 100 application for assistance forms to be filled out by those individuals whose homes incurred damages.

I would appreciate it if you could distribute these to your residents, collect them and send them into the Board's office in packages of 20. This will ensure an orderly inspection process of the damages in your town.

As soon as we receive the applications, an inspector will be assigned to visit the property and make a detailed report on the damages and losses.

With respect to your municipal costs, a member of my staff will contact you office in order to review your bills and make a recommendation to the Board.

The approval is for the inspections only. Compensation will be decided by the Provincial Cabinet and as soon as a decision has been made, you will be notified accordingly.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank you and your staff for the excellent hospitality you extended to Joe Masi and Phil Rebeck when they visited you on June 28, 1989. Your assistance in showing them some of the homes that were damaged was greatly appreciated and helpful.

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If you have any questions about his matter, please do not hesitate to call my staff at 945-3050, or write to them at:

Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board
Main Floor - 800 Portage Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3G 0N4.

Yours truly,

Sydney Reimer
Chairman

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APPENDIX "D"

NEWS RELEASE ANNOUNCING THE FLOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

COMPENSATION SET FOR GIMLI RAIN DAMAGE

The government will be providing approximately $250,000 in compensation for property damages and cleanup costs resulting from recent heavy rains in the Gimli area, Albert Driedger, Minister responsible for the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board has announced.

Driedger said the Board will be inspecting approximately 100 homes which were damaged by basement flooding on June 12 of this year. Total compensation for private residences is expected to be around $240,000. The Town of Gimli has also requested approximately $10,000 in compensation for cleanup costs related to the rain.

Private compensation claims are allowed to a maximum of $30,000 and are subject to an initial 20% deduction. Public assistance is based on a per capita cost-sharing formula.

Compensation application forms are available from the Town of Gimli. Individuals making private claims should complete their forms and return them to the town office. From there, they will be forwarded to the Board as one package. Once these applications are received, the Board can begin inspections.

The minister noted that final compensation decisions will be made once the Board has completed all necessary inspections.

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Contact: Cindy Stevens, 945-4102

APPENDIX "E"

FORMS USED TO ADMINISTER THE PROGRAM

PAYMENT VOUCHER

Manitoba Finance

1 DATE

2 PAYMENT VOUCHER NO. 928657

3 MAKE CHEQUE PAYABLE TO:

4 FOR ACCOUNT OF:

NAME

ADDRESS

5 TOTALIZED ACCOUNT

6 SOCIAL INSURANCE NO

DATE	10 INVOICE NUMBER	11 TYPE	12 AMOUNT PAYABLE	13 PARTICULARS

20 ACCOUNT NUMBER (DEPT. MAIN AND SUB ACCOUNT)	21 LATE	22 AMOUNT	23 EXPENDITURE OBJECT	24 REFERENCE	25 DEPARTMENTAL DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM	RESP CENTRE	ACTIVITY	SUB ACTIVITY	26 SHAREABILITY

FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

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NOT FOR DEPARTMENTAL USE

PROVINCIAL AUDITOR'S OFFICE EXAMINED BY:

Payment requisitioned in accordance with the requirements of The Financial Administration Act. Particularly the undersigned certifies that goods or services have been received or the payment is in accordance with a contract therefor, that prices are as agreed and that funds are available within the account charged.

31 DEPUTY MINISTER OR AUTHORIZED SIGNING OFFICER

DISTRIBUTION: PART 1 - Provincial Audit
Other Parts - See F.A.M. 2D - 1.1

ADDRESS

10 PS 1105

Cheque Requisition

Manitoba Government Services
Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board

Main Floor
800 Portage Avenue
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3G 0N4

Award No.
Area

Claimant _____ Date Issued _____ 19 ____

Address _____

_____

MAXIMUM AUTHORIZED AWARD $ _____

To: PROVINCIAL TREASURER

Please prepare cheque(s) payable jointly to the undernoted supplier(s) and the claimant; and mail cheque(s) directly to claimant.

Name of Claimant	Name of Supplier	Cheque Amount

Approved by ..... Chief Inspector

Sub - Total	$
Previous Payment	$
TOTAL PAID	$

Payments will not be made until instructions hereunder have been complied with and certificates A & B have been duly completed.

A CERTIFICATE OF CLAIMANT

I hereby acknowledge the good delivery to me and satisfactory services performed for me by the supplier(s) for invoices attached.

Final Payment _____

Further Progress Payments Required _____

Date ....

B CERTIFICATE OF INSPECTOR

I hereby certify that goods and services have been received by the claimant, that work has been completed and I recommend payments shown above.

Final Payment _____

Further Progress Payments Required _____

Date ....

FOR BOARD USE ONLY

Authorized and approved for payment and is within the limits approved by Order-in-Council.

Secretary .....

Chairman .....

Audited by .....

Original – White to Finance Department; 2nd copy – Canary to Claim File; 3rd copy – Pink to Voucher File. 4th copy – Goldenrod to be retained by Claimant.

MG-6482 (Rev. 88)

MANITOBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE BOARD

Financial Assistance Agreement

WHEREAS _____ (hereinafter
(name)
referred to as the "Recipient") has been awarded Financial Assistance by the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") in the amount of $_____ as compensation for losses arising from _____
(hereinafter referred to as the "losses").

NOW THEREFORE IN CONSIDERATION of the above amount, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the Recipient hereby convenants and agrees as follows:

1. The Recipient shall forthwith advise the Secretary of the Board of any compensation received by the Recipient from any other sources for the losses.

2. If in the opinion of the Board the compensation from other sources relates to the particular losses for which Financial Assistance has been paid by the Board, the amount of that compensation, not exceeding the amount of Financial Assistance paid, shall consitute a debt due and payable to the Goverrment of Manitoba.

3. The debt referred to in paragraph two shall be payable to the Government of Manitoba within thirty days from the date of mailing by the Board of written notice of the debt to the Recipient.

4. The Recipient shall, within thirty days of the mailing of a written request by the Board, give any person desiginated by the Board access to any records and documents within the power and control of the Recipient and relating to the losses and any compensation received.

5. If the Recipient fails to report compensation as required by paragraph one or fails to comply with a request under paragraph three the entire amount of the Financial Assistance paid herewith shall be deemed to be a debt due to the Government of Manitoba, payable on demand.

DATED the _____ day of _____, 19____.

_____
(Recipient's Signature)

_____
(Witness)

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Government Services

Manitoba Disaster
Assistance Board

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Winnipeg, Manitoba, CANADA
R3G 0N4

(204) 945-3050

AWARD NO.

Re: _____

With reference to your application re losses and damages caused by _____ _____ to the above property, we wish to inform you that your application has now been considered by the Board.

The decision of the Board is to award you the following ex-gratia payment to assist you in defraying the costs of your losses and/or the repair of damages relating to the above described property.

$	for Structural Damages
$	for Movable Objects, Personal Effects, Business Inventories, etc.
$	

This award is being made on the understanding that the money will be applied towards repair of the above property.

If you would like to appeal this decision, please forward a letter of appeal to the Secretary of the Board within 15 days of receiving this award letter.

Yours truly,

Chairman

Secretary

Original — White to Claimant; Second Copy — Green to Finance Department; Third Copy — Canary to Accounting; Fourth Copy — Pink to Voucher File; Fifth Copy — Goldenrod to Claim File.

MG-8483 (Rev. 89)

Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board

Moveable Objects and Personal Effects etc.

Name of Applicant _____ Telephone No. _____

Postal Address _____

Legal Property Description (Section or Lot No.) _____

Water Levels _____

ITEM	Original Cost	Year of Purchase

Room _____ Size _____ Ceiling Type _____

Ext. Walls - Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Int. Walls -Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Floor - concrete _____ Raised _____ Type of Covering _____ Age _____

Condition _____

Baseboard - Type _____ Condition _____

Doors - Type _____ Frames - Type _____ Casings _____

Condition _____

Closets _____ Walls _____ Doors _____ Baseboards _____

Built in Cupboards - Size _____ Type _____ Vanity's Size _____ Type _____

Condition _____

Room _____ Size _____ Ceiling Type _____

Ext. Walls - Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Int. Walls - Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Floor - concrete _____ Raised _____ Type of covering _____ Age _____

Condition _____

Baseboard - Type _____ Condition _____

Doors - Type _____ Frames - Type _____ Casings _____

Condition _____

Closets _____ Walls _____ Doors _____ Baseboards _____

Built in Cupboards - Size _____ Type _____ Vanity's Size _____ Type _____

Condition _____

Room _____ Size _____ Ceiling Type _____

Ext. Walls - Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Int. Walls - Type _____ Insulated _____ Comments _____

Floor - concrete _____ Raised _____ Type of Covering _____ Age _____

Condition _____

Baseboard - Type _____ Condition _____

Doors - Type _____ Frames - Type _____ Casings _____

Condition _____

Closets _____ Walls _____ Doors _____ Baseboards _____

Built in Cupboards - Size _____ Type _____ Vanity's Size _____ Type _____

Condition _____

Inspection Date _____ Inspector _____

MANITOBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE BOARD

Claimant_____ Address_____

Age of Building_____ Year Basement Completed_____

Basement - Main Floor Check Sheet: Foundation Type_____

Furnace - Age_____ Type_____ Hot Water Tank - Age_____ Type_____

Pressure System Submerged_____ Sewer Pump Submerged_____ Septic System_____

Sump Pump Submerged_____ Municipal Sewer & Water_____ Well_____

Electric Panel Submerged_____

Stairs: Type_____ Covering_____ Landing Type_____ Covering_____

ROOM_____ Size_____ Ceiling Type_____

Ext. Walls - Type_____

Int. Walls - Type_____

Floor - Concrete_____ Raised_____ Type of Covering_____ Age_____

Condition_____

Baseboard - Type_____ Condition_____

Doors - Type_____ Frames - Type_____ Casings_____

Condition_____

Closets_____ Doors_____ Built in Cupboards Vanitys_____

Condition_____

ROOM_____ Size_____ Ceiling Type_____

Ext. Walls - Type_____

Int. Walls - Type_____

Floor - Concrete_____ Raised_____ Type of Covering_____ Age_____

Condition_____

Baseboard - Type_____ Condition_____

Doors - Type_____ Frames - Type_____ Casings_____

Condition_____

Closets_____ Doors_____ Built in Cupboards Vanitys_____

Condition_____

Inspection Date_____ Inspector_____

Size of Family	Male	Female
...ge 15 & over)		

MANITOBA DISASTER ASSISTANCE BOARD

List of Articles DISPOSED OF _____ as a Result of the Disaster.
DAMAGED BUT RETAINED _____

(Please check of one that is applicable)

QTY.	ARTICLE	NEW PRICE	AGE	OFFICE EVALUATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

Witness

Name

Address

EVALUATOR'S REPORT

Size of Family	Male	Female
Adults (age 15 & over)		
Children (under age 15)		

Claimant Address Inspector

Water Level Type Times Flooded Dates

STRUCTURAL:	AMOUNT:
Clean-up - Basement Size:	
Furnace - Hot Water Tank:	
Exterior Walls:	
Interior Walls	
Floors:	
Doors & Frames:	
Stairs:	
TOTAL STRUCTURAL	
MOVEABLES:	
TOTAL MOVEABLES	

Distribution: Structural Total Award

Moveables Less Deductible

Total Award

Date Date

Chief Evaluator Evaluator

Secretary Chairman

Inspector's Certification

Where applicant states that he is the owner

I certify that the tax roll number and name on the application for assistance form agrees with the actual property tax bill.

Date: _____ _____
Inspector's Signature

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

_____

Home Owners Labour for:

Cleaning ..... Hrs. _____

Removal of Damaged Materials:..... Hrs. _____

Claimant's own labour to complete repairs.... Hrs. _____

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_____ _____
Signature

Application for Assistance Re Losses and Damages

Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board
207 Donald Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3C 1M5
(204) 945-3050

Area

Buildings, Moveable Objects, Personal Effects, Other Out-of-Pocket Expenses and Erosion of Farm Lands

Careful completion of this form will greatly assist in early assessment and payment of your claim.

Name of Applicant _____ Telephone _____

Postal Address _____

Street Address _____

Legal Property Description _____ Tax Roll No. _____

Do you have insurance to cover any of your losses? Yes ☐ No ☐

Receipts and invoices for all out-of-pocket expenses must be attached.

Size of Family	Male	Female
Adults (age 15 and over)		
Children (under age 15)		

Structural Damage to Buildings

If due to Flooding above basement floor above ground floor

Depth of water in building: _____ feet Date of Flooding _____

Type of water _____

Inspector's verification _____

Place X where applicable

- ☐ Residence
- ☐ Garage
- ☐ Barn or Stable
- ☐ Other Buildings
- ☐ Small Business
- ☐ Farmland Erosion

For the buildings in question I am legally authorized to make representation as:

- ☐ Registered owner clear title
- ☐ Registered owner subject to Mortgage
- ☐ Registered owner under Agreement of Sale
- ☐ Tenant and agent of the owner, or
- ☐ Non-tenant agent of the owner.

If applicant is not the owner give name and address of owner.

Name _____ P.O. Address _____ Telephone _____

Moveable Objects, Personal Effects, Out-of-Pocket Expenses and Details of Erosion

Quantity	Article	Original Cost	Year of Purchase
	If more space is required use reverse side or attach separate sheet.		

Note: Retain all items listed above for inspection by Board Inspector.

DECLARATION

1. I certify that the above statements represent a true and correct listing of expenses and/or losses incurred by me.
2. I understand that any amount awarded as partial reimbursement of expenses incurred by me as a result of the disaster is a grant from Government.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

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APPENDIX "F"

NEWSPAPER ARTICLES WRITTEN ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Gimli flood victims to share $250,000

The province expects to pay about $250,000 to Gimli residents who suffered property damage and cleanup costs as a result of basement flooding during heavy rains in June.

Albert Driedger, minister responsible for the Manitoba Disaster Assistance Board, announced yesterday that about 100 homes could be eligible for claims up to a maximum of $30,000 with a 20-per-cent deductible.

Compensation forms are available from the Town of Gimli.

Compensation decisions will be made after all necessary inspections are completed, he said.

Driedger said the province expects to pay out about $240,000 to homeowners and that the Town of Gimli has requested $10,000 toward the cost of cleaning up after the June 12 storm.